



# **BILL NO. 49**

*Government Bill*

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*2nd Session, 60th General Assembly  
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## **An Act to Amend Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Civil Service Collective Bargaining Act**

CHAPTER 33  
ACTS OF 2007

**AS ASSENTED TO BY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
DECEMBER 13, 2007**

The Honourable Carolyn Bolivar-Getson  
*Minister responsible for the Public Service Commission*

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*Halifax, Nova Scotia  
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**An Act to Amend Chapter 71  
of the Revised Statutes, 1989,  
the Civil Service Collective Bargaining Act**

Be it enacted by the Governor and Assembly as follows:

**1 Section 2 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the *Civil Service Collective Bargaining Act*, is amended by**

**(a) adding immediately after clause (e) the following clause:**

(ea) “department” means any department, office, agency, board, commission, corporation or other entity where persons are employed pursuant to the *Civil Service Act*;

**and**

**(b) adding immediately after clause (k) the following clause:**

(ka) “student” means a person enrolled in and returning to a course of studies at an educational institution;

**2 Clauses 11(1)(c) and (d) of Chapter 71 are repealed and the following clauses substituted:**

(c) employed on a casual basis unless employed continuously for more than ten weeks or employed in the same department for more than a total of ten weeks in a twelve-month period;

(d) employed on a seasonal basis unless employed for more than a total of ten weeks in a twelve-month period;

(da) a student unless employed continuously in a bargaining-unit position for more than ten weeks or employed in a bargaining-unit position in the same department for more than a total of ten weeks in a twelve-month period;

**3 This Act comes into force on February 1, 2008.**

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